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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK\*  
(POUNDS)

	FREIGHT	TRUCK	TRUCK & EXPRESS	TRUCK	TOTAL
		DEALERS AT	(DIRECT	LONG ISLAND	RAIL & TRUCK
		TERMINAL	RECEIVERS)	DUCKS	
OCTOBER 18, 1943:	212,841	404,251	577,484	41,093	1,235,669
SAME DAY LAST WK:	320,808	526,905	487,396	47,485	1,382,594

\*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS, WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS

**NEW YORK:** FREIGHT RECEIPTS WERE MODERATE WITH 8 CARS REPORTED ON TRACK AT LONG ISLAND CITY AND 2 AT WEEHAWKEN, N.J. FOR THE LIVE POULTRY TRADE. THE DEMAND CONTINUED ACTIVE AND MOST OFFERINGS CLEARED READILY AT PREVAILING PRICES. THE MARKET HELD FIRM. COLORED FOWL A AND B MOST 33; LEGHORN FOWL A UNQUOTED; COLORED AND ROCK CHICKENS A 32; GEESSE A 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ . TRUCK RECEIPTS WERE HEAVY. TRADING ACTIVE FOR FOWL, YEARLINGS AND FANCY LARGE PULLETS, BUT SLOW FOR ALL CLASSES OF SPRINGS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. THE MARKET WAS FIRM ON FOWL AND YEARLINGS, IRREGULAR CLOSING WEAK AND LOWER ON SPRINGS. RABBITS HELD GENERALLY STEADY ON BEST QUALITY STOCK. NO QUOTATIONS REPORTED FOR FANCY LARGE PULLETS. FOLLOWING ARE WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES AS REPORTED BY THE TRADE ON THIS MORNING'S TRUCK AND EXPRESS MARKET: NEW ENGLAND AND NEARBY COLORED FOWL A 35, YEARLINGS A MOSTLY 35, LEGHORN FOWL A 28-28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , A FEW LOW 27; BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS - ROCKS A 33-36, SMALL LOW 32 FED, CARRIED B SMALL 28, CROSSES A 30-32, MOSTLY 32, FED, 32-34 UNFED, CARRIED 30; RED A 29-30 UNFED, CARRIED 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ , LEGHORN A 28 BEST; RABBITS A 25-28, HIGH 30, POOR 20 UP, A FEW LOWER; SQUABS AND PIGEONS A 35-40, A FEW LARGE HIGHER. STATE OF ORIGIN AND NUMBER OF CARS ON TRACK ARE AS FOLLOWS: 4 ILLINOIS, 4 INDIANA, 1 KENTUCKY, 1 OHIO. THE 43 TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 18 $\frac{1}{2}$  DEL. CROSS,  $\frac{1}{2}$  MAINE CROSS AND RED, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  N.Y. CROSS WITH A FEW BLACK AND CROSS PULLETS, 2 VIRGINIA CROSS,  $\frac{1}{2}$  VERMONT CROSS AND A FEW BLACK PULLETS, 2 CONN. ROCKS,  $\frac{1}{2}$  DEL. ROCK AND A FEW BLACK PULLETS, 1 CONN. BLACK PULLET,  $\frac{1}{2}$  DEL. RED PULLET, 3/4 N.Y. RED, 3 N.Y. MIXED, 1 PENN. MIXED, TOTAL 31 $\frac{3}{4}$  SPRINGS; 5 $\frac{1}{4}$  N.Y. LEGHORNS AND A FEW COLORED, 1 PENN. LEGHORN AND COLORED, 1 N.J. LEGHORN, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  DEL. RED,  $\frac{1}{2}$  MAINE BLACK AND RED, 2 N.H. RED, TOTAL 11 $\frac{1}{4}$  FOWL, PLUS 1 CONN. CROSS, 1 VIRGINIA CROSS, 1 N.Y. MIXED, 1 VIRGINIA ROCKS, 1 N.H. RED FOWL AND 1 UNKNOWN DUE. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 149,615 POUNDS.

**PHILADELPHIA:** MARKET STEADY TO FIRM ON FANCY QUALITY 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  LBS. AND UP CHICKENS AND FOWL OVER 4 LBS. IN SOME QUARTERS AN INCREASED PROPORTION OF DESIRABLE GRADES ARRIVED AND CLEARED READILY. CARRYOVER OF C GRADES MODERATE. OLD ROOSTERS AND MUSCOVY DUCKS PRESSED FOR SALE. REPORTED WHOLESALE PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: COLORED FOWL 28, FEW 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , LEGHORNS 24-26, FEW PEDDLED 27-28, ROASTERS AND FRYERS 30-32, BROILERS IN STRAIGHT LOTS 25-29. OLD ROOSTERS 19-22. MUSCOVY DUCKS 22-23. RECEIPT OCT. 18, 66,761 LBS. CORRESPONDING DAY LAST WEEK: 151,746 LBS. (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTER-MARKET DISTRIBUTION.

**BALTIMORE:** LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS MODERATE. MARKET STEADY. PRICES UNCHANGED EXCEPT DUCKS, YOUNG PEKINS AND MUSCOVIES 5 LBS AND UP 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ -27.

**BOSTON:** POULTRY PRICES UNCHANGED. ALTHOUGH THERE WAS NO CHANGE IN PAYING PRICES FROM LAST REPORT, INSOFAR AS SUPPLY AND DEMAND WAS CONCERNED, THE MARKET CONTINUES WEAK ON LIVE POULTRY. SUPPLIES OF ALL SIZES AND CLASSES CONTINUE VERY LIBERAL AND DEALERS WERE FREE SELLERS. THERE WAS A LITTLE JOBBING DEMAND BUT MOST LIVE POULTRY DEALERS WERE DRESSING OUT AS MUCH OF THEIR SUPPLIES AS POSSIBLE. THE DEMAND FOR DRESSED FOWL CONTINUED OF SATISFACTORY VOLUME BUT THERE WAS LESS INTEREST IN CHICKENS. MOST DEALERS WERE REFUSING SHIPMENT, ESPECIALLY FROM REGULAR SHIPPERS BECAUSE OF AMPLE SUPPLIES ON HAND.

**WASHINGTON:** MARKET FIRM. RECEIPTS LIBERAL. BROILERS AND FRYERS 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , FOWL 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ , ROOSTERS 18-21.

**CHICAGO:** RECEIPTS UP UNTIL EARLY AFTERNOON AMOUNTED TO 36 TRUCKS CARRYING 1959 COOPS AND 3 CARS BY RAIL. TOTAL ARRIVALS REPORTED MONDAY WERE LARGE AT 423,404 LBS. COMPARED WITH MONDAY A WEEK AGO OF 253,766 LBS. AND 285,760 LBS LAST YEAR. THE RATHER HEAVY SUPPLY YESTERDAY WHILE TAXING HANDLING FACILITIES WAS WORKED SATISFACTORILY AND VERY LITTLE CARRYOVER WAS NOTED TODAY EXCEPT IN DRESSING CHANNELS. THE MARKET WAS FIRM TODAY AND LESS HEAVILY SUPPLIED. DEALERS WERE ENCOURAGING THE SHIPMENT OF FOWL AND HEAVY YOUNG STOCK. PAYING PRICES FOB FOR GRADE A FOWL 23 $\frac{3}{4}$ -25 $\frac{1}{2}$ , COLORED BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS 25 $\frac{1}{4}$ -27, ROCK BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS 26 $\frac{3}{4}$ -28, LEGHORN FOWL 21 $\frac{3}{4}$ -23, LEGHORN BROILERS AND FRYERS 22 $\frac{3}{4}$ -24, OLD ROOSTERS 17 $\frac{3}{4}$ -19.

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